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The Honorable Kevin Martin
Chairman
Federal Communications
445 Twelfth Street S.W.
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Re: Written *Ex Parte* Communication; WT Docket Nos. 06-169, and 96-86;
PS Docket No.06-229

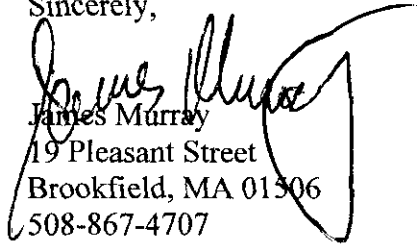
Dear Chairman Martin:

I have been working in public safety as a correctional officer at the Worcester (MA) County House of Correction and a police officer in two Central Massachusetts towns for 17 years. I am currently assigned to a plain clothes position for a regional drug and counter crime task force. I have made a commitment to making my community safer for everyone. I believe that to do so requires my department to do what ever it takes to get the job done. It is critical that my team and other agencies re able to communicate in an efficient and comprehensive way. That is why it is important that the FCC designate at least 10 MHz of commercial spectrum for public use through a private partnership.

In order to develop this communication network, funding and a larger spectrum are essential. The plan [proposed by Frontline Wireless provides both of these components. They plan to build out the network with private capital, which will allow the doubling of spectrum available to first responders.

This build out will serve 99 percent of the state, and allow local agencies control over the system. The Frontline Wireless plan will make my job easier and it will save lives in the future. I hope you will give this proposal due consideration and look favorably on making the needed commercial spectrum available.

Sincerely,


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